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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**Docket Number (Optional)
1858-4826US

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Application No.: 09/832,141

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Filed: April 9, 2001

Examiner: W. Pierce

Title: SCENTED BOWLING BALLS AND METHODS

Attention: Office of Petitions

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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee – required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☒ Small entity - fee \$750.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☐ Other than small entity - fee \$_____ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of Notice of Appeal (identify type of reply):☐ has been filed previously on _____.☒ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee of \$ _____

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☐ has been paid previously on _____.

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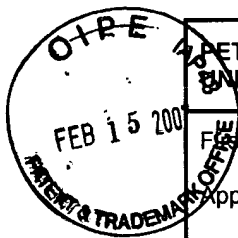
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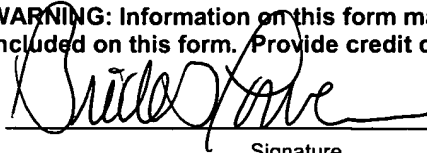


3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☐ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$_____ for a small entity or \$_____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].

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I hereby certify that Applicant's Attorney received a Final Office Action dated June 30, 2006 and replied to same on January 2, 2007 by U.S. mail. The United States Patent and Trademark Office receipt date is January 4, 2007. On February 15, 2007, Applicant's Attorney received an Advisory Action dated February 12, 2007. The end of the final period of extension expired on December 30, 2006, therefore Applicant was unable to respond timely.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that abandonment of the above-referenced application was in no way the fault of the Applicant or the Applicant's attorney and was, therefore, unintentional. Therefore, revival of the above-referenced application at an early date is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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